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Applicant(s): Hiroshi KATO et al.

Invention: METHOD OF MANUFACTURING ELLIPTIC DEEP-DRAWN PRODUCTS

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 1, 2005 (Paper No. 08292005), the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application:

This Paper includes Claim Set As Amended and Remarks.